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THURSDAY - - - - - DECEMBER 19

THE Minneapolis preachers propose a boycott on the Sunday papers of that city. What is the difference whether a sermon is preached in print or pulpit?

A LAW has passed the German Reichstag which exempts theological students of the empire from military duty. To this Bismark objects. It means more soldiers of the cross and less soldiers for the emperor.

A NEW use for the phonograph has been discovered. A teacher of languages, whose admirable accent has brought him many pupils, resorts to the phonograph wherever he finds it as an assistant tutor. For instance, he will talk slowly a page of some standard author into the phonograph and instruct his pupil to read the passage aloud while the phonograph prompts him with the pronunciation. After the tutor has retired the lesson remains intact upon the cylinder of the phonograph ready for further use. It can be seen how considerable the phonograph's aid is in this regard.

THE question of convict labor is seriously agitating the minds of the Washington legislature. Of course it has a large lobby of do-nothing "laboring men" at its heels demanding that the state prisoners shall not by their work take the bread away from the children of honest laboring men, etc. This is all bosh. In the first place, if the convicts were free they would be competing outside the prison walls for the same labor that is otherwise done inside. There is work enough for all, whether it is done in the prison or out. What is more, the man who does an honest day's work at fair wages need fear no competition. He is in demand. It is the idlers and the politicians who oppose prison labor, and not laboring men themselves. But aside from all this, convicts need a certain amount of labor to keep them in health. Where prisoners are not worked they are short-lived and a large percentage become insane.

A FREE TRADE LEADER.

William L. Scott the Pennsylvania coal king and democratic congressman is said to be so indignant at the threat of the labor organizations to boycott him and his customers that he has refused employment at his Spring Valley coal mines to those miners who, during the late lockout, distributed food, clothing and medicine to the sick and starving, and threatened with loss of employment those now working in the mines who continue or begin to give such relief. This is the man who said: "we (capitalist) can control the working-man only so long as he eats up today what he earns to-morrow." This is the leader of the free-trade forces on the floor of the 50th congress, in the sense of intelligent, deliberate leadership for Roger Q. Mills, coming from a country town in a remote southwestern state, knew comparatively little about the extent of our industrial system or the nature and circumstances of those employed by it. This is the man who is already plotting to carry the Pennsylvania delegation to the National Democratic convention in 1892 on the free trade issue, and to lay it at the feet of Grover Cleveland. And he talks about "oppressive taxation."

Sir Edward Guinness, the noted brewer, having amassed an immense fortune in the manufacture and sale of stout, porter and kindred liquors, has decided to return some of his wealth to the source whence it was acquired. He has accordingly donated the sum of £250,000, which has been placed in the control of trustees, who will erect model artisans' dwellings in London and Dublin after the style of the Peabody buildings. Of the sum mentioned £200,000 is to be expended on London and £50,000 on Dublin.

A number of prominent capitalists of Corvallis are giving the construction of a railroad from that place to Eugene serious consideration.

Mrs. Drawak, a Bohemian woman, attempted suicide by drowning at Seattle. A cruel husband was the cause.

OREGON MARCHING ON.

A Breezy Letter From the Journal's Special Correspondent—A Postoffice Building for Salem.

[Correspondence of the Capital Journal.] WASHINGTON, D. C. Dec. 12.—This has been a big week for Oregon in congress, especially in the senate. The introduction of bills commenced on the third day's session, and Senators Dolph and Mitchell were among the first to get in with a big batch of bills of local interest.

They were all referred to their appropriate committees and two of the bills have already come back with a favorable report from the committee and placed at the top of the calendar, and will be the first measure reached, in order, when the senate takes up bills on the calendar. The two bills in question were introduced by Senator Dolph. The first provides for the granting to the state of Oregon townships 27 to 31 south, in ranges 5 and 6 east of the Willamette meridian, for the purpose of establishing a public park. Crater Lake is situated in this tract of land. The other bill provides for the granting of certain lots in the military reservation at The Dalles, to that city for a public park.

Three bills have been introduced in the senate, providing for the establishment of the Tenth Judicial circuit. Senator Dolph offered a bill providing that Oregon, Washington and Montana, should from the Tenth Judicial District, the judge thereof to receive a salary of \$8000. To-day Senator Ingalls of Kansas, offered a bill comprising the Tenth Judicial circuit of Oregon, Montana, Colorado and Nevada, while Senator Davis' bill of to-day proposes that Montana, Minnesota, and North and South Dakota should comprise the Tenth Judicial district. All of them were referred to the committee on Judiciary, and a compromise will be effected. Oregon will undoubtedly be in the new district. Mr. Dolph has introduced a bill appropriating \$100,000 for the erection of a public building at Salem, for the accommodation of the post office.

The site shall leave the building unexposed to danger from fire by an open space of not less than forty feet, including streets and alleys. No money thus appropriated shall be available until a valid title to the site has been vested in the U. S., and the state of Oregon has ceded jurisdiction over the same.

Senator Dolph introduced the following local bills in the senate on the third day of the session:

Restoring to the United States, to be opened for settlement, certain of the lands granted the Northern Pacific R. R. Co., to and in the construction of a railroad from Lake Superior to Puget Sound.

A bill to repeal the laws providing for the pre-emption of public lands and the laws allowing entries for timber culture. A bill providing for the payment of balance unpaid on Oregon war claims for the suppression of Indian hostilities in 1855 and '56. A bill to prevent obstructions of navigable waters. A bill authorizing the Oregon and Washington Bridge Co., to construct a bridge across the Columbia river. Pensioning soldiers who served in Indian wars. Prohibiting objectionable foreign immigration and to protect American labor. Authorizing the appointment of seven army and naval officers to constitute a board to locate sites for sea coast fortifications on the northwest coast, Puget Sound, and estimate the cost thereof. A bill providing that every person who joined the military force in the Nez Percés, Bannock and Shoshone Indian wars, in '77 and '78 shall receive three dollars per day, for the time they were in the service. In lieu of all other claims for such service. A bill appropriating one million dollars to enable the secretary of war to purchase sites for sea coast fortifications. A bill appropriating five hundred thousand dollars for the erection of a public building at Portland Oregon. A bill fixing the salary of the judge of the district court of the United States, for the district of Oregon at five thousand dollars per annum. A bill establishing an assay office at Portland. Senator Mitchell introduced bills as follows: Appropriating eight thousand dollars for a life-saving station at Port Orford, Oregon. Appropriating two million dollars for the construction of a boat railway to transfer boats and their cargoes, over and across the obstructions to navigation at The Dalles, Celilo Falls, and at Three and Ten-mile Rapids on the Columbia river. Appropriating one million dollars to continue work on the canals and locks at the cascades of the Columbia river. Appropriating one million dollars to continue the improvements at the mouth of the Columbia river. Appropriating \$125,000 for the construction of a first-class revenue cutter for service on the Oregon coast. Appropriating \$50,000 for a lighthouse on St. Mary's Island, Alaska. Appropriating \$85,000 for a new lighthouse

tender for use on the Oregon coast. Appropriating \$80,000 for a first-order lighthouse at the mouth of the Coquille river. Appropriating \$80,000 for a first-order lighthouse on the headlands, near Newport, Yaquina Bay.

A large number of private claims and pension bills were also introduced by Senators Mitchell and Dolph, mainly bills introduced last session and which failed to become laws. Oregon legislation will be vigorously pushed by the delegation this year and some important measures will be enacted.

NORTHWEST.

It must be acknowledged that once in awhile a good example is set on the other side of the Atlantic. A clerk in a London banker's office recently defaulted to the amount of about £7000, and he confessed to having lost the sum in stock operations. The Exchange investigated the matter, learned who had acted as brokers for the thiefing clerk, and at once suspended them from the privileges of the institution for five years. It was held that the brokers ought to have learned the source of the money which they received from the embezzler.

Great efforts are being made by the Argentine Republic to induce immigration from all parts of Europe. Large numbers of Germans and Russian Hebrews have already gone to South America, and now England is being worked with the same end in view. Notices have recently been published that the cost of passage for 30,000 laborers will be paid by the government, the expense being defrayed by the sale of 8000 square leagues of land, which has been set aside for this purpose. Sixteen thousand square leagues has also been segregated for the use of incoming settlers.

IT WAS LONG ENOUGH.



Colonel—Well, what's the matter now? Private—I've got liver trouble and dyspepsia, and ought to get liver for thirty days. Colonel—I'll give you ten, and if you take Joy's Vegetable Sarsaparilla that will be long enough. Fred H. Blecker, of the Baldwin Hotel, San Francisco, writes: I have spent many a dollar for medicines, but the only thing that ever stopped my liver trouble and dyspepsia was Joy's Vegetable Sarsaparilla. Gustav Solomon, 222 Valencia street, San Francisco, writes that it has entirely freed him of his indigestion and sick headaches.

A Chinaman and a white woman were arrested for smoking opium together in Olympia yesterday. The Chinaman was fined \$10 and the woman \$50.

Cured in One Day.

Dr. Holden: A few nights since I was taken with a sore throat, cough and stiff neck. I used your Ethe-real Cough Syrup, and by morning I was nearly well, and by night cured. JAMES PATTERSON. Supt. Woolen Mills, Stockton. Large size \$1.00, small 50 cents. For sale by Daniel J. Fry, Druggist.

By an explosion of a lamp at Louisville, Monday night, Mrs. Charles Kieffer and her three children were seriously burned. None of them will recover.

Bucklen's Arnica Salve.

The best salve in the world for cuts, bruises, sores, ulcers, salt rheum, fever sores, tetter, chapped hands, chilblains, corns and all skin eruptions, and positively cures piles or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction, or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For sale by Daniel J. Fry, druggist.

The Western Stage company, running the stage from Alger, Cal., to Linkville, Ore., has lost \$10,000 in the four years of its contract for carrying the mails.

Is Consumption Incurable?

Read the following: Mr. C. H. Morris, Newark, Ark., says: "Was down with Abscess of Lungs, and friends and physicians pronounced me an incurable Consumptive. Begun taking Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, am now on my third bottle, and able to oversee the work on my farm. It is the finest medicine ever made." Jesse Middlewart, Decatur, Ohio, says: "Had it not been for Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption I would have died of Lung Troubles. Was given up by doctors. Am now in best of health." Try it. Sample bottles free at Daniel J. Fry's Drug-store.

Electric Bitters.

This remedy is becoming so well known and so popular as to need no special mention. All who have used Electric Bitters sing the same song of praise.—A purer medicine does not exist and it is guaranteed to do all that is claimed. Electric Bitters will cure all diseases of the Liver and Kidneys, will remove Pimples, Boils, Salt Rheum and other eruptions caused by impure blood.—Will drive Malaria from the system and prevent as well as cure all Malarial fevers.—For cure of Headache, Constipation and Indigestion try Electric Bitters—Entire satisfaction guaranteed, or money refunded.—Price 50 cts. and \$1.00 per bottle at Daniel J. Fry's Drugstore.

A reward of \$10,000 has been offered for the recovery of Knoll Frank, the Colfax merchant, who was last seen in Spokane Falls nearly two months ago.

Take Hood's Sarsaparilla 100 Doses One Dollar

The Chief Reason for the great success of Hood's Sarsaparilla is found in the article itself. It is merit that wins, and the fact that Hood's Sarsaparilla actually accomplishes what is claimed for it, is what has given to this medicine a popularity and sale greater than that of any other sarsaparilla or blood purifier before the public. Hood's Sarsaparilla cures Scrofula, Salt Rheum and all Humors, Dyspepsia, Sick Headache, Biliousness, overcomes That Tired Feeling, creates an Appetite, strengthens the Nerves, builds up the Whole System. Hood's Sarsaparilla is sold by all drug stores. \$1; six for \$5. Prepared by C. I. Hood & Co., Apothecaries, Lowell, Mass.

Something New!

NEW STORE! NEW GOODS!! NEW PRICES!!! The variety store lately opened up in Dr. Rowland's brick on Court street, has just received a large invoice of Variety goods, including CHRISTMAS GOODS, HOLIDAY GOODS AND 5 AND 10 CENT GOODS.

We have an endless variety of Fancy Housekeeping Goods and Novelties. Some great bargains are offered in these goods. Everybody is invited to call and see how much you can buy for a nickel or a dollar.

Cheapest place in town to buy your Holiday Goods. MRS. N. J. BURFORD.

FOUND.—A pair of shoes, from the store of Krause & Klein. Owner can have the same by proving property and paying for this notice.

FOR EXCHANGE. I wish to exchange 10 1/2 acres of good land for a house and lot in or near Salem. This is a bargain for some one. For particulars see E. F. Sigworth, 301 Chemeketa street.

WANTED.—At once. Two or three good reliable horse drivers for the city, or furnished. Enquire JOHNSON office.

FOR SALE.—A GOOD HARDWARE business in Marion county. Address CAPITAL JOURNAL.

BOAREING.—A few ladies or gentlemen can obtain, at reasonable rates, good board with nicely furnished rooms in the finest part of the city, right by the street cars, by calling at 367 Winter street, corner of Center street.

SOCIETY NOTICES. KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS.—Regular meeting on Tuesday night of each week at 7:30 p. m. L. R. STINSON, C. C. W. H. H. WATERS, K. of R. and S.

LODGE No. 15, I. O. O. F., meets in Odd Fellows' Hall up stairs. Corner Commercial and Ferry streets, every Saturday at 7:30 p. m. J. T. GRIFFIN, Secy. WM. CLARKE, N. G.

G. A. R.—Sedgwick Post, No. 10, Department of Oregon, meets every Monday evening at the hall over the Oregon Land company's office. Visiting comrades are cordially invited to attend. A. W. DRAYTON, Post Commander. B. F. SOUTHWICK, Adjutant.

PROFESSIONAL CARDS. J. J. SHAW, attorney at law, Salem, Oregon. Office up-stairs in the Patton block.

PHYSICIAN.—MRS. DR. M. E. MCCOY, physician and surgeon, has located and taken rooms over Squire Farrar's grocery store. Chronic diseases a specialty. Consultation free. 12-21dw

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J. C. SMITH, M. D., PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON. Office with Dr. J. N. Smith, Griswold block, Salem, Oregon.

W. H. H. WATERS & CO., LAWYERS. Rooms 1 and 2 Frier's Block, N. E. corner State and Commercial streets, Salem Oregon.

The Best Residence Localities In the city of Portland and other prosperous towns are those owned by men or corporations who have the disposition and ability to improve them. HIGHLAND ADDITION THE OREGON LAND COMPANY! And this Corporation is determined to

Make It The Most Attractive Addition To the city of Salem. They have at this time fifteen teams employed and the contemplated improvements have scarcely begun. It is intended to make the drive leading from Commercial street through Riverside and Highland Park

THE FINEST DRIVE IN THE STATE Of Oregon. The line of the Salem Street Railway Company runs through the middle of this addition, and no lots will be more than two blocks distant from the line. Highland Park will in the near future be

THE MOST POPULAR RESORT ABOUT THE CITY OF SALEM.

Lots in Highland Addition are High and Dry and Well Located; Most Excellent Drainage

The soil is black and rich. From all points a fine view is obtained of the public buildings and our highest mountain peaks. Arrangements are already being made for the location of two churches in this addition, and a number of residences are soon to be built. Buildings only of the best class will be permitted. Residence lots within the limits of the city of Salem are worth on an average over \$1000. We can sell you better lots in Highland addition for one-third of the money, and being directly on the line of the street railway they are practically not half so far from the public buildings and the business part of the town as the majority of the so-called "inside lots."

Buy a Lot in Highland Addition for Three Hundred Dollars, And let some other fellow pay \$1000 for an inferior lot not so well located. With the difference of \$700 you can build a beautiful cottage, or put it out at a rate of interest that will buy you nearly two thousand street car tickets every year.

GRAND PRIZE -OF AN- ELEGANTLY DECORATED CHINA DINNER SET! -CONSISTING OF- One Hundred and Thirty Pieces to be Given Away by

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New Fish Market. Allen Rhodes has established a new Fish Market on State street, and he keeps a good supply of fish, poultry and game. Give him a call and your order will be promptly attended to.

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